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# THE IRIS 400

## A PRICE LIST OF THE BETTER IRIS

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### A SHORT PERSONAL LETTER TO YOU

Dear Floral Friends:

When I look at the following collection of the newest and best Iris, which are now in full bloom, and am thrilled by their ineffable beauty, I feel convinced that the science and the art of Iris breeding has been as progressive and as productive of astounding results as the efforts of science and invention along any other lines. I am proud too that these are mostly American originations.

Previous to 1910, I had never seen any Iris except the common old white and blue "flags". That spring I flowered some new sorts I had imported from Goos and Koenemann of Breslau, Germany. They were then the latest and best, bred by this firm and other European breeders. Included were Magnifica, Iris King, Rhein Nixe, Loreley, Mad. Chereau, (first plicata), Mrs. Darwin, Darius and actually one described as pink, Queen of May. There were 30 or 40 sorts. My importation was probably the first or at least one of the first brought to California.

Soon American breeders were giving close competition to the Europeans and in 20 years my new Iris were being rapidly replaced by better ones. A new and better Magnifica replaced the original one. Aphrodite was a better pink, but still not very pink. Iris King (G and K's Iris Koenig) was held in favor a long time and I still think of it reverently.

The old Rhein Nixe has gained immortality thru transmitting its pattern in greater refinement to several that I believe must be its descendants such as the beautiful Wabash.

Now after 40 years the new varieties are almost countless. From these, for our "Iris 400" have been gleaned those most outstanding. There are not yet 400 of them, so nearly 100 more will be added when we can sell them within the price range of this list. But the varieties added must stand rigorous test before they are added as we want this list to include only the very best.

Those listed here are amazingly, ineffably beautiful. "Out of this world", aptly describes them. Richer blends; purer, larger whites of more refined form; deeper golden yellows like that of King Alfred Daffodils; finer, redder reds; more pink in the pink sorts; blues like the sky after rain and other shades for sunny days or dark days; plicatas; variegatas; bicolors, they are all here.

If you do not add several of these to your garden, you are denying yourself much pleasure. They will give you many happy hours.

Yours sincerely,  
Cecil Houdyshel

Terms are the same as those outlined fully in our Spring and Fall Catalogs. Briefly, these are: California customers must add 2 1/2% sales tax. We do not ship orders C. O. D. Remittance in full must accompany orders. We prepay postage on orders for \$1.00 or more. Orders under \$1.00 for these Iris must send 15c extra for postage and packing.

Deliveries will begin about July 15, but it is better to get your order in early as we try to fill orders approximately in rotation. Don't send 2 or 3 orders at intervals and ask us to assemble and send all at one time as it is almost impossible to assemble and connect them. We will be rushed and will lack time to answer inquiries or give additional information about varieties.

If you want an acknowledgement of your order it is better to enclose a self addressed post card which we will at once mail back. We will be as prompt as possible, but please be patient as we sometimes get a little in arrears when orders come faster than we can dig, assemble, pack and ship them. We can't employ extra help for this purpose as we must use only long trained and careful packers.

**Dozen** and **100** rates are not given on Iris from this list. Only those discounts explained under "Iris Collections" may be applied. These discounts are the most liberal, in fact, that have ever been offered. They are as low or lower than any wholesale.

**Substitution.** We have a good stock of most of the varieties listed, but there is a possibility that we may run out of a few of the rarer ones late in the season. We will not substitute without your permission. If we may substitute please include a list we may select from.

Near by customers are requested to send orders by mail as we dig these only once a week by a sort of "assembly line" method and cannot make "over the counter" deliveries.

**Cheaper Iris** are listed in our Spring Catalog. If you do not have one and wish to order Iris please ask for a copy. Our supply is very limited and we may have to send a copy that has been mailed before.

In ordering, if you wish you may use this price list as an order sheet checking the items you want. If requested we will pack another price list with the order.

**Culture** of Iris is most simple. They prefer the heavier soils containing some clay and are especially fine in limestone soils where blue grass thrives. But they do very well in sandy loam and you need not be discouraged by possessing a sand soil or even a gravelly soil. The soil should be neutral or mildly alkaline and if acid it should receive wood ashes or lime in sufficient quantity to at least neutralize it.

Sandy soils will need lime or ashes. Where soils are naturally alkaline as in most parts of So. Calif. and parts of Texas, do not use ashes or lime.

Iris need full sun exposure and do not compete well with tree roots.

Fresh manure and tree leaves should be avoided. Use compost rather sparingly and be sure it is fully broken down. Rotted manure spaded in well in advance of planting is allowable but if the rhizomes are in contact with decaying vegetation some rot may result. Do not mulch the plants.

Plant the rhizomes about 1 inch under soil surface. Spread the roots out and cover more deeply. Keep plants well watered after planting in order to form clumps and obtain much bloom the following spring. As they increase rapidly do not plant too close.

Bearded Iris are mostly natives of the Mediteranean region where they naturally receive little water in late summer and get a thoro baking in hot sunshine. If your Iris do not bloom well it may be because you irrigate too well and too late in the season. As soon as the new growth becomes of good size, water less and finally very little or none. When clumps become too dense you must reset, using only the growing end of the rhizome, if you want an abundance of flowers.

For maximum results, this is all good advice based on long experience but you can ignore almost all of it and still get along rather well as Iris are most accomodating.

### IRIS COLLECTIONS

When one buys a ready-made Iris collection, it is like buying a pre-fabricated house, you take what you get and like it. Some plants may duplicate what you already have and the colors may not be the ones you most desire. To avoid this, we offer you the opportunity to make your own selections and to get a collection of exactly what you want, the size you want and for the amount you wish to pay. You can do that, with no loss of what you could save by buying a pre-fabricated collection, by this plan which we outline as follows. Perhaps you can even save more.

When you remit \$10.00 and under \$25.00, you may select any extra plants to the value of  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the amount remitted in addition to the value of your remittance. That means, for example, that you get \$12.50 worth of plants for \$10.00 and \$20.00 worth for \$16.00. For \$24.80 you get \$31.00 worth.

When you remit at least \$25.00 or less than \$50.00, you may select one third extra value.

When you remit at least \$50.00 but less than \$75.00, you may select one half extra value.

When you remit at least \$75.00 but less than \$100.00 you may select  $\frac{3}{4}$  of this amount in extra value. Think of it! For \$80.00 you get \$140.00 worth of plants, all your own selection.

When you remit \$100 or more you may make out your order for double the amount remitted.

**Transportation charges on Collections.** We will ship collections costing less than \$50.00 by mail post paid. But on Collections costing \$50.00 or more, since we are allowing 50% to 100% over value we cannot assume the cost of transportation. Besides this fact, it is also far safer to ship these larger and more valuable orders by express. Therefore we will ship by express, charges collect.

Some who buy under \$50.00 worth of Iris may prefer to have them shipped by express collect and we will do this, adding extra plants, if you request it.

**Advance Guard.** 38". Plicata. Deep lavender stitching on white ground. \$1.00.

**Adventure.** 40". Plicata. Cream and raspberry, 75c ea.

**Alba Superba.** 36". Extra large pure white. Heavy substance. \$5.00.

**Aldura.** 30". Best plicata, blue and white. Large, heavy substance. \$1.00.

**Aleppo Plain.** 36". Plicata. Cream, peppered deep red. \$2.00.

**Always.** 42". Old ivory, lined and specked with bronze red-purple. 50c.

**Alza Hola.** 38". S. white, blue suffusion and golden glow. F. soft blue edged gold. \$2.00.

**And Thou.** 40". Blue-white, faint blue flush at haft. Deep blue beard tipped white. \$1.50.

**Angelus.** 36". Pink, lavender and lemon yellow blend. Late. 50c

**Anne Newhard.** 36". Standards hyacinth-blue. Falls, velvety blue purple. Lovely. \$1.00.

**Ann Sheridan.** 36". Empire yellow which does not fade. Vigorous. 60c.

**Antigone.** 36". Grand yellow for mass effects. 60c.

**Arab Chief.** 36". Brilliant burnt orange. A near self. \$3.00.

**Arctic.** 40". A gleaming creamy white with heart of gold. 75c.

**Aztec Copper.** 38". Rare blend of delicate copper and smokey violet. \$1.50.

**Azure Skies.** 36". Ruffled pale lavender blue. \$2.00.

**Band Master.** 36". Lovely powder blue self. Very large. \$4.00.

**Bataan.** 38". Dark blend of coppery plum, henna and rich brown. \$2.00.

**Berkeley Gold.** 45". Deep yellow. Vigorous, free blooming. \$1.50.

**Bermuda Sand.** 36". Light coffee tan with glint of gold. \$1.00.

**Bertha Gersdorff.** 36". Oddly feathered pale yellow, marked with rosy purple. \$1.50.

**Betsy Ross.** 36". Mauve. Wavy, vigorous and free flowering. \$1.00.

**Birchbark.** 36". White, good finish. 50c.

**Black and Gold.** 36". Rich chrome-yellow standards, dark maroon falls. \$2.50.

**Blue Crown.** 36". Light blue standards, white falls. \$3.50.

**Blue Rythm.** 30". Large cornflower blue lightly overcast with silver. \$7.50.

**Blue Shimmer.** 38". Choice plicata, shimmering white, dotted clear blue. \$2.50.

**Blue Spire.** 48". Clear medium blue, strong grower. \$1.00

**Bright Melody.** 30". Bright concord

grape, outstanding color. \$2.50.  
**Brown Boy.** 32". Good sized blooms of real brown and red. 75c  
**Brown Thrasher.** 34". Bright golden brown. Fine. \$2.00.  
**Bryce Canyon.** 36". Warm shades of henna-copper. \$6.00.  
**Buccaneer.** 36". Standards antimony-yellow. Falls Kaiser brown. Good. 50c.  
**Buckskin.** 40". Buckskin tan. Large flowers. 60c.  
**Buttercup Lane.** 36". Beautiful, distinct yellow. Lustrous finish. Tops. 75c.  
**Butterfly Wings.** 30". Lavender standards, striped brown and yellow falls. \$7.50.  
**Calcutta.** 36". Imposing flower in cocoa-brown tones. 35c.  
**California Peach.** 36". Intriguing pink and apricot blend. \$1.00.  
**California Treck.** 48". Very fine two tone yellow, crimped and serrated edges. \$1.50.  
**Captain Wells.** Dark, deep, glossy maroon purple self. \$1.50.  
**Carnival Parade.** 38". S. light yellow with dark rose top. F. dark rose, gold blaze in center. \$5.00.  
**Caroline Burr.** 40". Iridescent cream, good form and substance. Well branched. \$1.50.  
**Casa Morena.** 38". Deep glistening brown. Excellent branching. \$4.00.  
**Cathedral Dome.** 36". Large well formed white. 50c.  
**Charlotte Millet.** 36". Reddish lilac, palest blue line on each fall. 50c.  
**Cherry Red.** 34". Red bi-color of medium rose and velvety cherry red. \$2.00.  
**Chicory Blue.** 42". Medium blue self. Firm substance. \$2.50.  
**Chief Poking Fire.** 34". Reddish brown velvet. \$1.50.  
**China Boy.** 42". Large rich red-bronze. vigorous. 75c  
**China Lady.** 38". Glistening ivory, excellent substance. \$1.00.  
**China Maid.** 48". A blend of pink, golden bronze and soft lilac. Very vigorous. 75c.  
**Chippewa.** 30". Deep yellow plicata heavily suffused and dotted brown. 50c.  
**Chivalry.** Medium dark ruffled blue. 1947 Dykes Medal winner. \$10.00.  
**Chrysolite.** 48". Light cream, heavy substance, Fragrant, vigorous. \$1.00.  
**City of Lincoln.** 42". Golden yellow standards, velvety red falls. 50c.  
**Claret Velvet.** 32". Deep dark wine self. 50c.  
**Cloth of Gold.** 38". Deep yellow self, excellent substance. \$3.00.  
**Cloud Castle.** Large, wisteria blue with mauve undertone, exquisite. \$3.00.  
**Coquette.** 24". Rose-purple covered with minute veinings. 75c.  
**Coloma.** New light yellow with darker Standards, gold edged falls. \$3.00.  
**Copper Lustre.** 36". Copper, gold, pinkish tan and lavender blend. 50c.  
**Copper Pink.** 38". Large, soft pink flushed with sparkling copper. \$1.00.  
**Copper River.** 36". Standards glistening tan, falls overlayed bright copper. \$6.00.  
**Copper Rose.** 38". Blend of old rose, copper and tan. \$1.50.  
**Coral Mist.** 38". Pink and cinnamon blend. \$1.50.  
**Coritica.** Yellow plicata of good quality. \$1.50.  
**Damerine.** 36". Deep red, domed standards, wide flaring falls. 75c.  
**Daryl.** 38". Yellow and orange. 50c.  
**Daybreak.** 38". Large pink with coppery undertones. \$2.00.  
**Day's Farewell.** 45". Rose lavender, vigorous grower. 75c.  
**Deep Velvet.** 36" Richest deep red violet, beautiful flaring form. \$1.00.  
**Destiny.** 36". Blackish bronze purple, vigorous. 40c.  
**Display.** 33". Standards deep mauve rose, falls spanish red and maroon. \$1.50.  
**Dixie Sunshine.** 42". Yellow, shaded from medium to light. \$1.50.  
**Dream Girl.** 24". New flamingo pink, weak grower. \$5.00.  
**Duet.** 30". Honey-beige standards, pleroma violet falls edged honey-beige. \$1.00.  
**Easter Bonnet.** 38". Blush pink with unbelievable gold band. \$3.50.  
**Easter Candle.** Large white with rich yellow in the throat. \$5.00.  
**E. B. Williamson.** 36". Coppery brown blend, strong grower. 40c.  
**Edward Lapham.** 36". Rich crimson, a self, no veining. \$3.00.  
**Elena Choosing.** 40". Golden bronze, one fourth onocyclus. Very good. \$2.00.  
**Ella Callis.** 36". Deep yellow with orange yellow overlay. \$2.00.  
**Elmohr.** 38". Rich mulberry of exceptional size and form, vigorous. \$1.00.  
**Elsa Sass.** 36". Sulphur yellow, white blaze in center of falls. 60c.  
**Episode.** 42". Blend of apricot, orange and yellow, very vigorous. \$1.50.  
**Ethelyn Kleitz.** 36". Light corinthian red and hydrangea red. 75c.  
**Extravaganza.** 36". Sensational amoena, standards cream, white falls edged copper red. \$10.00.  
**Fair Elaine.** 36". Standards soft cream, falls deep rich yellow. 75c.  
**Far West.** 36". Salmon, golden sand, coral and henna blend. 40c.  
**Fashion Plate.** 36". Outer edges crocus-lavender, paling toward center. \$4.50.  
**Fiesta.** 36". Copper standards, apricot orange falls. \$1.00.  
**Firecracker.** 32". Burgundy red plicata with snappy yellow trim. \$3.50.  
**Flamely.** 36". Standards ochre red to terra cotta, falls garnet brown. \$1.50.  
**Flora Campbell.** 36". Reddish brown and peach-red blend. 50c.  
**Flora Zenor.** 36". One of the nearest pinks, tangerine beard. \$1.00.  
**Florentine.** 37". Plicata, white background, lilac-mauve lines and dots. 75c.  
**Fort Knox.** 40". Smooth light yellow, well branched and spaced. \$1.00.  
**Fortune.** 32". Old rose shadowed rustic red. \$1.00.  
**Francelia.** Bright chrome yellow, heavy rich beard, reliable. \$4.00.  
**Franconia.** Gigantic white, perfectly formed. \$3.50.  
**Frank Adams.** Rosy tan flushed yellow, falls rosy red. 50c.  
**Freckles.** 32". Creamy plicata, light chocolate markings. 75c.

**Frosted Glass.** 38". Pale yellow standards, opalescent falls with yellow edges. \$1.00.  
**Full Measure.** 42". Large deep yellow, vigorous. \$1.50.  
**Galantry.** 36". Ruffled dark blue. \$5.00  
**Garden Flame.** 36". Deep rose mahogany or garnet, large, late. \$1.50.  
**Garden Magic.** 34". Large velvety deep red self, late. 75c.  
**General McArthur.** 36". Very large creamy white. \$1.00.  
**Gilt Edge.** 38". Creamy yellow falls edged deeper gold. 50c.  
**Glen Ellen.** 36". Attractive, luminous golden tan, vigorous. 50c.  
**Golden Bear.** 30". Rich yellow slightly ruffled. 75c.  
**Golden Eagle.** 36". Large bright yellow, free bloomer. \$1.50.  
**Golden Fleece.** 40". Clear pure yellow, sulphur, lemon and deeper yellows. \$1.50.  
**Golden Hind.** 34". Clear rich yellow. 40c.  
**Golden Madonna.** 40". Large cream yellow standards, milk white falls, edged yellow. \$1.00.  
**Golden Majesty.** 42". Brilliant golden yellow, slightly fragrant. 60c.  
**Golden Morn.** Warm bright yellow, good form. \$4.00  
**Golden Ruffles.** 48". Fine new, very large ruffled yellow, one of the best. \$7.50.  
**Golden Spike.** 36". Clear, deep golden yellow, slightly ruffled. 75c.  
**Golden Symphony.** 39". Ruffled yellow standards, light blue falls edged yellow. \$9.00.  
**Good Fortune.** Small, pale pink plicata. \$2.50.  
**Good Sir.** 38". Standards gold, falls maroon purple, free bloomer. 75c.  
**Grace Mohr.** 36". Huge blossoms of pale lilac, veined darker. 75c.  
**Grand Canyon.** 36". Bronzy plum colored, very popular. \$1.00.  
**Grand Marshall.** 42". Metallic gold color, good substance. \$1.50.  
**Great Lakes.** 48". Clear blue, highest ranking symposium iris in years. \$1.00.  
**Gypsy.** 38". Coppery gold standards, chestnut brown falls. \$2.00.  
**Gypsy Baron.** 34". S. silvery white shadowed royal blue, F. mulberry purple. \$1.50.  
**Gypsy King.** 36". Mulberry purple, very early. \$2.00.  
**Harvest Moon.** 36". Apricot and orange blend, heavy substance. \$2.00.  
**Her Grace.** 36". Hortense violet, good form. \$1.00.  
**Hills Of Gold.** 38". Very bright yellow, free bloomer. \$1.50.  
**Hiwassee.** 38". Bi-color, light lilac and deeper lilac. \$2.00.  
**Hoosier Sunrise.** 40". Blend of mauve-pink and yellow. \$1.00.  
**Icy Blue.** 48". Light blue opening to large blue white blossoms, vigorous. 60c.  
**Indiana Night.** 38". Deep velvety purple, large and darkly purple. \$4.00.  
**Innovation.** 37". Large white plicata, rose trim, good substance. \$3.00.  
**Jasper Agate.** 34". Brilliant copper red, copper pink undertone. \$5.00.  
**Joseveive.** 36". Golden standards, brown falls edged gold. 50c.  
**Katherine Fay.** 36". Large warm white, slightly ruffled exquisite. \$5.00.  
**Lady Mohr.** 36". Standards oyster white, falls chartreuse yellow. \$5.00.  
**Lady Naomi.** 38". White plicata with unusual fine network of pale lavender. 75c.  
**Lake George.** 39". Fine blue standards slightly ruffled, falls flaring. \$5.00.  
**Lancaster.** 36". Bright copper and rose red. 60c.  
**Late Guest.** Flaring falls, rich brown variegata, late. \$2.50.  
**Late Sun.** 40". Brilliant deep yellow with red gold overlay. \$1.00.  
**Lavender and Gold Lace.** 34". Standards yellow flushed lavender, falls lavender. \$2.00.  
**Lavender and Old Lace.** 38". Lavender violet with ruffled and lacy falls. 75c.  
**L. Merton Gage.** 40". Raspberry pink and creamy yellow blend. \$1.00.  
**Lord Dongan.** 37". Silken chinese violet and deep velvety pansy violet. \$2.00.  
**Louise Blake.** 30". Chicory blue standards, violet falls edged chicory blue. \$4.00.  
**Louvois.** 35". Glossy, lustrous brown bi-color with darker border. 60c.  
**Love Affair.** 36". Rose pink plicata, well branched, free bloomer. \$2.50.  
**Lullaby.** 36". Large orchid pink, good form and substance. \$2.00.  
**Madam Louise Aureau.** 30". Plicata, silvery white, dotted rosy heliotrope. 40c.  
**Madam M. Lassailly.** Delightful blue bi-color of French origin. 75c.  
**Majenica.** 36". Salmon tinted pink blend. \$1.00.  
**Marquita.** 38". Standards ivory flushed yellow, falls ivory veined with ruby lines. 40c.  
**Mary E. Nichols.** 34". Creamy white, satiny texture. 75c.  
**Mary Vernon.** 37". Gold standards, Chianti ruby falls edged gold. \$2.50.  
**Master Charles.** 38". Glowing mulberry-purple self. \$3.00.  
**Matterhorn.** 38". Pure glistening white, slightly ruffled. 75c.  
**Matula.** 38". Rose, rich orange, crimson and buff blend. 50c.  
**Meliane.** 44". Large ruffled orchid pink. 75c.  
**Melitza.** 40". Delicate pale ivory pink, tangerine beard. 75c.  
**Mellow Glow.** 38". Peach and apricot with a flush of pink. \$4.00.  
**Melody Lace.** Cream plicata edged lavender pink. \$2.00.  
**Mexico.** Large. Golden buff standards. Velvety falls of glowing old brown. \$3.00.  
**Michael.** 36". Bridal rose pink blend, slightly fragrant. \$3.00.  
**Midwest Gem.** 36". Luminous yellow and pink blend. 50c.  
**Ming Yellow.** 36". Faultless yellow self. 75c.  
**Minnie Colquitt.** 36". Ruffled white plicata with clear red-purple border. \$3.00.  
**Miss California.** 48". Beautiful orchid pink vigorous. 50c.  
**Missouri.** 36". Medium blue. 50c.  
**Missouri Night.** Deep purplish blue. purplish brown at haft. 50c.  
**Miss Sally.** A very lovely large yellow. \$1.00.  
**Misty Gold.** 34". Lemon yellow, slightly



ruffled, falls white edged yellow. \$2.00.  
**Misty Rose.** 40". Light rose. \$1.50.  
**Mohrson.** 36". Deep violet seedling of Wm. Mohr. 50c.  
**Moonlight Madonna.** 36". Ruffled lemon toned self. \$2.00.  
**Moonlit Sea.** 35". White, heavily flushed lavender violet, yellow haft. 50c.  
**Morocco Rose.** 36". Lavender pink of large size, plants vigorous. 60c.  
**Mountain Sky.** 34". Blue, wavy edged. One of the best. Good increase. 75c.  
**Mount Timp.** 32". Creamy white plicata. Rosy-red markings. \$1.50.  
**Mount Washington.** 48". One of the finest whites. (For milder climates.) 75c.  
**Mulberry Rose.** 36". Deep radiant mulberry rose, brown tone. \$1.25.  
**Mystic Shrine.** 36". Copper rose ground, heavy brown vinations. \$1.00.  
**National Giant.** 44". Very large. Bronze violet, vigorous. 75c.  
**National White.** 46". Pure glistening white. Giant ruffled edges. \$1.00.  
**Ned Lefevre.** 36". Standards copper and salmon pink. Falls deep orange with pink glow. \$1.00.  
**Nicole Lassailly.** Blue bi-color. \$1.50.  
**Nightingale.** 36". Large glistening russet with matching colors. \$1.25.  
**Nightfall.** 36". Bi-color of velvety rich dark pansy purple. Standards lighter blue. \$1.00.  
**N. J. Thomas.** Velvety bi-purple of nice proportions. \$1.00.  
**Nylon.** 36". Large ruffled light caramel Blend. Good growing habits. 75c.  
**Ola Kala.** 36". Brightest of deep yellows. Very vigorous. \$2.50.  
**Old Lace.** A bi-colored "fancy" Small. \$3.50  
**Old Parchment.** 39". Ivory white with an overlay of golden dust. \$1.00.  
**Old Rose.** Very large, tall old rose. Good. \$1.00.  
**Orchid Lady.** 38". Large orchid. A showy clump. \$1.00.  
**Orchid Sprite.** 12". Douglasiana. Masses of pink-orchid flowers. Fine for cutting. Ship Nov. to Dec. \$2.50.  
**Oregon Sunshine.** 38". Large soft light yellow slightly fragrant. 50c.  
**Oregon Trail.** 36". Large heavy textured flower. Smoothly blended tawny salmon. \$2.00.  
**Ormaco.** 32". Large rusty violet. Good grower. \$1.50.  
**Ormohr.** 40". Large grey-lavender. Good grower. 50c.  
**Pacific Sunset.** 36". Large ruffled old rose and gold with falls amaranth pink. Gold edged. \$1.50.  
**Painted Desert.** 48". Brownish copper tan and violet blend. Well branched. \$2.00.  
**Pale Primrose.** Ruffled primrose yellow. \$1.50.  
**Patricia.** 30". Sparkling white with frilled edges. 50c.  
**Peach Glow.** 38". Large peach-pink. Perfect proportions. \$1.50.  
**Persuasion.** 40". Pale blue, good form. 50c.  
**Pink Cameo.** 36". One of newest and best flamingo pinks. \$10.00.  
**Pink Marvel.** 39". Lovely salmon pink. 75c.  
**Pink Reflection.** 36". Exquisite hydrangea pink, good substance. \$3.00.  
**Pink Ruffles.** 27". Heavily ruffled lilac pink. 75c.  
**Prairie Sunset.** 36". Peach, pink, rose and gold blend. Very fine. \$1.00.  
**Present.** 30". Pinkish tints with veins and dots and velvety rose signal patch. \$2.50  
**Pretty Penny.** Large coppery rose overcast russet. \$1.50.  
**Prince of Orange.** 30". Golden orange, unusual and popular. 75c.  
**Princess of Brentwood.** 48". Large, well branched, soft pink blend. \$5.00.  
**Priscilla.** 30". Pure white, with white beard. \$1.00.  
**Rajah Brooke.** 38". Standards topaz. Falls pigeon blood red. \$3.00.  
**Ranger.** 36". Brilliant crimson-red of great merit. \$3.00.  
**Red Amber.** 38". A blend of jasper pink, old rose and eugenia red. \$1.50.  
**Red Gleam.** 36". One of the best reds. \$1.00.  
**Red Valor.** 36". Rich garnet red, brown beard. \$2.00.  
**Redward.** 34". Brilliant red, velvety flaring falls. \$4.00.  
**Remembrance.** 38". One of the most delightful pink blends with yellow overtone. \$2.00.  
**Rocket.** 38". Pure chrome standards. Dark deep orange falls. \$15.00.  
**Roseland.** 38". Buff-base standards. Rich, heavy red falls. Light edged. \$1.75.  
**Ruth Pollock.** 36". Yellow plicata stitched and dotted with deep maroon. 50c.  
**Sable.** 36". Gorgeous black-violet with violet beard. \$1.00.  
**Salar.** 36". Flesh cream and salmon with rose on falls. 75c.  
**Samovar.** 33". Exquisite burnished coppery orange. 50c.  
**Sea Lark.** Large violet-blue with flush of purple on falls. \$10.00.  
**Serenata.** 30". Russet-wine and hellebone-red. (Ridgeway). Fine. \$1.00.  
**Sheriffa.** 42". Metallic purple. Vigorous. Good increase. 75c.  
**Sierra Primrose.** Cream primrose. \$4.00.  
**Sky Maid.** 40". Medium blue, flaring falls, heavy substance. 75c.  
**Snow Flurry.** 48". Very fine. Icy white, very ruffled. \$1.25.  
**Snow Velvet.** 38". Large white, gold throat, very velvety. \$1.50.  
**Solid Mahogany.** 38". Darkest of all reds. Very sturdy. \$5.00.  
**Song of Gold.** Good yellow with fragrance. 75c.  
**Sonny Boy.** 34". Brilliant coppery blend of gold and henna. 50c.  
**Sonrisa.** 38". Coppery pink and gold. Good substance. \$2.50.  
**Sorrel Top.** 43". A yellow and white pli-cata with brownish rose markings. \$1.00.  
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